IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Appl | ication | of: |
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Robert C. Lawson

Serial No:

10/037,048

Examiner:

Filed:

JUN 2 0 2002

December 31, 2001

Group Art Unit: 3619

For: Manufacturing Method For

Composite Transverse Leaf Spring

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to Notice To File Missing Parts of NonProvisional Application dated February 6, 2002 for a period of three month(s).

| \boxtimes | Applicant is: |
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| | a small entity, verified statement is |
| | attached |
| | already filed |

| \boxtimes | other than small entity |
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| Extension <u>Months</u> | Other Than Small Entity | Small Entity | OF COPY OF |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|
| One Month Two Months Three Months | \$110.00 \$400.00 \$920.00 | \$55.00 \$200.00 \$460.00 | E. F. |
| Four Months Five Months | \$1,440.00 \$1,960.00 | \$720.00 \$980.00 | \ |

Fee Payment

| | Attached is a check for \$ for the Petition fee. |
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| $\overline{\mathbf{Z}}$ | Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 06-1500. A duplicate copy of this |
| | Petition is attached. |
| \boxtimes | Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit |
| | Account No. 06-1500. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached. |

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: <u>June 13, 2002</u>

Mark D. We's

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